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Federal Communication Commission Bureau / Office

In Re: Matter of RECEIVED	) Bureau / Office
Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations.	) MM Docket No. 04 ) RM )
(Dalhart and Perryton, TX)	RECEIVE

To: The Chief, Allocations Branch AUG - 5 2004

## PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary

Radio Dalhart, pursuant to Section 1.401(a) of the Commission's rules, hereby respectfully requests that Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules (the FM Table of Allotments) be amended as follows:

Community	Existing	<u>Proposed</u>		
Dalhart, TX	242C1, 261C	241C1, 261C		
Perryton, TX	241C3	248C3		

Concurrent with this relief, Radio Dalhart further requests that the license of station KXIT-FM, Dalhart, Texas (of which Radio Dalhart is the licensee) be modified to specify operation on Channel 241C1 in lieu of Channel 242C1 and that the license of station KEYE-FM, Perryton, Texas (licensed to Perryton Radio, Inc.) be modified to specify operation on Channel 248C3 in lieu of Channel 241C3.

In support whereof, the following is respectfully shown:

1. Submitted herewith is an engineering statement from Beem Co., Radio Dalhart's engineering consultant, demonstrating that the relief requested herein will meet all applicable FCC requirements with respect to city coverage and channel spacing. Specifically, the changes proposed herein will enable KEYE-FM to continue operation from its currently-licensed site. While having

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no adverse impact upon KEYE-FM, these changes will enable KXIT-FM to substantially increase its service. No change is proposed in the stations' respective communities of license. Both stations will continue to provide required coverage to its respective community of license.

2. Beem Co. further demonstrates that the reallotments proposed herein would result in a preferential arrangement of allotments and will serve the public interest. While there will be no change in the service to be rendered by KEYE-FM, the KXIT-FM move will result in a net gain of 55% population within its 60 dBu contour from 33,284 to 51,645 persons. The proposed 60 dBu service contour will completely contain the station's existing contour, and so there will be no loss area to offset the substantial gains to be realized. Since the allotments proposed herein will result in substantially greater service for KXIT-FM while resulting in no loss of service and while having no adverse impact upon the service rendered by KEYE-FM, we respectfully submit that the allotments should be implemented.

3. Radio Dalhart states herewith its present intention to promptly apply for and construct facilities on the channel it has requested herein, if allotted. Radio Dalhart further states its agreement to pay all of PRI's reasonable costs involved with the KEYE-FM frequency change.

Respectfully submitted,

RADIO DALHART

By: Deter Gutme

Its Attorney

Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, PLLC

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July 28, 2004

## **ENGINEERING EXHIBITS**

FOR

### PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

**TO CHANGE CHANNELS OF** 

KEYE-FM, PERRYTON, TX FROM 241C3 TO 248C3

AND

KXIT-FM, DALHART, TX FROM 242C1 TO 241C1

**JULY 2004** 

BY: BEEM CO. ARCADIA, CA (626) 446-3468

#### ENGINEERING STATEMENT OF JOEL T. SAXBERG

This engineering report was prepared for Radio Dalhart, licensee of KXIT-FM, Dalhart, TX, by Broadcast Engineering and Equipment Maintenance Company, "BEEM CO." KXIT-FM operates on Channel 242 as a class C1 facility. Radio Dalhart proposes to change the frequency of KXIT-FM from Channel 242C1 to Channel 241C1 and to change frequency of KEYE-FM from 241C3 to 248C3. The proposed changes in allocations would enable KXIT-FM to relocate its transmitter site towards the south, thus increasing the population within its 60-dBu contour by approximately 20,000 persons. The present population count within the KXIT-FM Class C1 60 dBu contour is 33,284. At the allocation coordinates specified below, the population count from a maximum class "C1" facility will be 51,645 which is an increase of 18,361 persons or a percentage increase of 55%. KXIT-FM will maintain its present city of license, Dalhart, TX. There are no changes proposed for KEYE-FM other than the change in frequency. Radio Dalhart agrees to pay all costs involved with the KEYE-FM frequency change.

The proposed allocation changes fully meet the spacing requirements of §73.207. Allocation studies for each proposal are attached. The existing 60 dBu contour of KXIT-FM is entirely encompassed by the proposed 60 dBu contour and therefore there will be no loss service area. The proposed allocation coordinates for KXIT-FM CH241C1 are: 35-48-23N, 102-17-16W.

#### **ENGINEERING CERTIFICATION**

#### JOEL T. SAXBERG deposes and says:

- 1. That he is President of Broadcast Engineering and Equipment Maintenance Company, "BEEM CO.", radio engineering consultants. BEEM CO. maintains offices at: 2322 S. Second Avenue, Arcadia, CA 91006. Telephone (626) 446-3468
- 2. That he was graduated from California State University at Los Angeles, February 1966, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Electronic Engineering. He received a MS degree in Electronic Engineering Technology in August 1996.
- 3. That he has submitted many applications to the Federal Communications Commission for broadcast and auxiliary broadcast construction permits and licenses.
- 4. That his experience in broadcast engineering is a matter of record and he has spent over thirty years working in the field of radio engineering.
- 5. That the attached report was prepared by him or under his direction and supervision. That he believes the facts stated therein to be both true and accurate. Statements that are based on information supplied by others are also believed to be true and accurate.
- 6. That he has performed field work on AM and FM broadcast transmitting systems throughout this country and continues to provide technical consulting services on a daily basis to broadcasters.
- 7. That he declares under penalty of perjury the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on \_7/26/2004\_\_\_\_

Joel T. Saxberg

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FM Study for: KXITFM FCC Database Date: 7/23/2004 35-48-23 Location: DALHART, TX Channel Class: C1 102-17-16 [\*] by HAAT indicates calculated as missing in database. City, State Chan Class Freq kW Latitude Dist. Required
Proponent File Number HAAT Longitude Azm. Clear (km) Status Proponent >>>>> Study For Channel 241 96.1 mHz <<<<<< KXITFM DALHART, TX 242 Cl 96.3 100. 35-53-46 13.2 177 CP Fac. No. 15018 BMPH-20030611AAK 144 102-23-03 318.9 -163.8 SHORT KXITFM DALHART, TX Use of 73.215 for short spacing requires: 158 -144.8 SHORT 35-53-46 13.2 177 0 102-23-03 318.9 -163.8 SHORT ALLOC DALHART, TX 242 C1 96.3 Fac. No. 15018 -144.8 SHORT Use of 73.215 for short spacing requires: 158 XITFM DALHART, TX 240 A 95.9 6.00 36-05-45 37.9 133 LIC Fac. No. 15018 BMLH-20010424AAK 52 102-30-38 328.0 -95.1 SHORT Use of 73.215 for short spacing requires: 111 -73.1 SHORT KXITFM DALHART, TX KEYEFM PERRYTON, TX 241 C3 96.1 8.50 36-21-54 149.3 211 LIC Fac. No. 52329 BLH-19990927ABT 122 100-46-48 65.0 -61.7 SHORT KEYEFM PERRYTON, TX -50.7 SHORT Use of 73.215 for short spacing requires: 200 239 C1 95.7 100. 35-06-16 96.6 82 BLH-19920422KB 119 101-39-28 143.5 +14.6 CLOSE KARX CLAUDE. IA Fac. No. 33448 CLAUDE. TX LIÇ 34-26-20 242.0 224 100-13-10 128.2 +18.0 CLEAR 241 C2 96.1 SO.0 BLH-19890620KA 145 KCTXFM CHILDRESS, TX LIC Fac. No. 18567

#### **KEYE-FM TO CHANNEL 248C3**



KXIT-FM ALLOCATION STUDY CH241C1 DALHART, TX

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#### BEEM Company

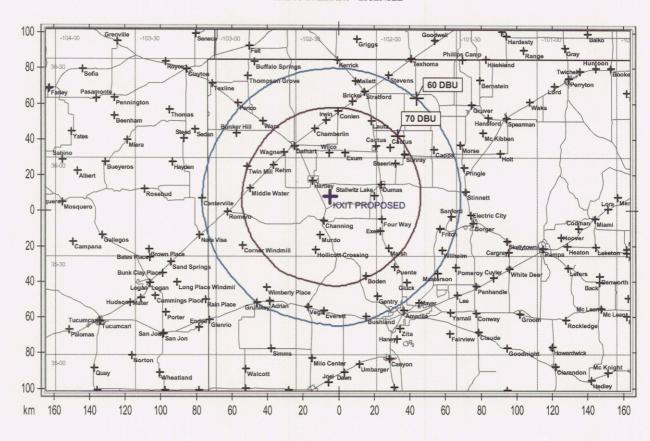
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KEYE-FIM ALLOCATION STUDY CH 248C3 PERRYTON, TX

#### RADIO DALHART - LICENSEE

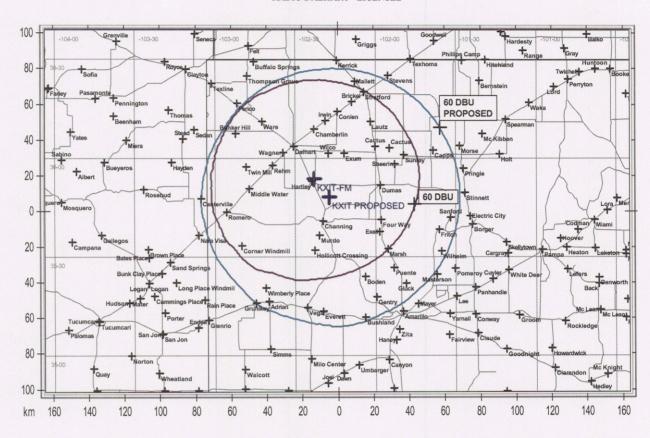


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#### RADIO DALHART - LICENSEE



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State Borders Highways Lat/Lon Grid

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Peter Gutmann, an attorney in the law firm of Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, PLLC, do hereby certify that I have on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2004, caused copies of the foregoing Petition for Rulemaking to be mailed to the following by first-class United States mail, postage prepaid:

Perryton Radio, Inc. 7430 Colshire #4 McLean, VA 22102